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Group Art Unit: 2666

Serial No.: 09/349,571

Examiner: Dang T Ton

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Algorithm (SIRA) For The Layer 2

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Pursuant to the Office Action dated July 13, 2004 and received in regard to the abovecaptioned application, please enter the following response.

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- 1. Response to Office Action
- 2. Transmittal Sheet
- 3. Fee Transmittal Sheet
- 4. Petition for One Month Extension
- 5. Postcard Receipt

CONDITIONAL PETITION

If any extension of time is required for the submission of the above-identified items, Applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. Please charge any additional charges relating to this matter to **Deposit Account No. 50-1944.** A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosed is a Response to Office Action in the above-identified application.

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Total Claims for Fee Purposes	13	minus	20	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
Independent Claims	5	minus	5	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00
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